THE BARONY OF DRAGONSSPINE

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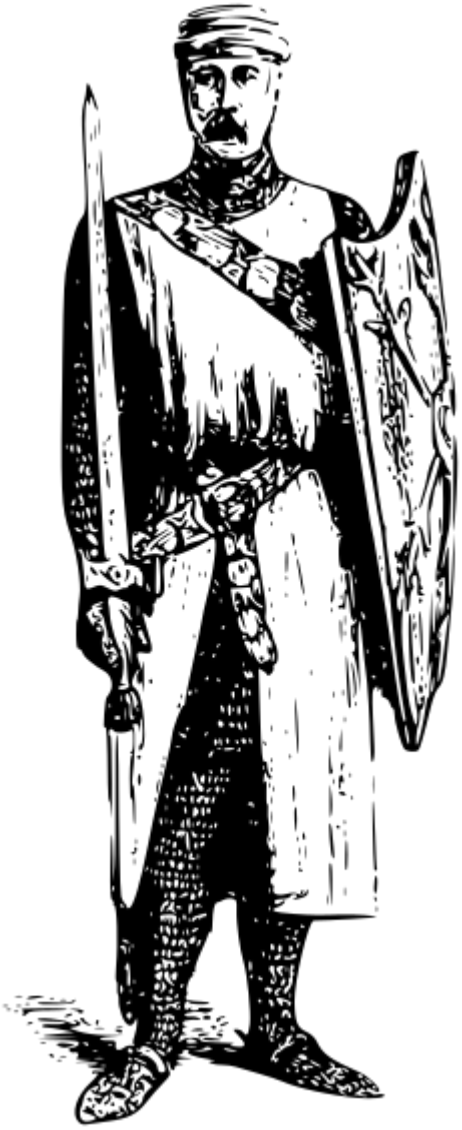

'Old & New London', W. Thornbury, 1897

A note from the Chronicler:

Greetings and salutations!

Spring hath sprung! Be thou ready to spring into War? And classes, and feasts, and perusing markets, and tourneys? Be sure to check the calendar on Page 3, or at the kingdom or barony websites, to plan your trips into the Past as it Should Have Been.

New seasons and new adventures include a new Baron and Baroness of Dragonsspine! Join with the other noble denizens of the most noble barony in welcoming Maistir Turlough and Magistra Adelasia at their investiture. This event is Saturday, May 6 at Grace and St. Stephens Episcopal Church. Further details are available at the Dragonsspine baronial webpage, complete with a link in the top right corner. There will be pomp, there will be various circumstances, there will be grand memories made here.

And yet more blooming opportunities! Have you ever considered being an officer for the Barony, but didn't know if you had the time or ability to make it to a lot of events? Your Chronicler is humbly seeking someone who would like to help with newsletters, and potentially take them over when her term is over. It can be done long distance if need be, and fits into your schedule. Not into Publisher? Check out the Officers Page on the website, read the descriptions, and see if any of those might be worth pursuing.

And alas, I fear my Ethereal-Mail is still possessed and I cannot access it. Please reach out to any of the Baronial officers if you need help in reaching me!

Tallyho!

Lady Guenguiu myrgh Guentigirn

A letter from the Seneschal:

Will appear soon. Be sure to check the Book-of-Faces for immediate updates.

Regular Local Gatherings

Fighter Practice

Sunday

Winter: Archery School of the Rockies

5:00 PM to 8:00 PM

Summer: Nancy Lewis Park

6:00 PM to dark

Archery Practice

Sunday

Winter: Archery School of the Rockies

5:00 PM to 8:00 PM

Summer: Sir Ton's Field (Black Forest)

1:00 PM to 4:00 PM

Weather Dependent

Business Meeting

Second Sunday of the Month 5:15 PM

(Fighter Practice site)

A&S/Largesse Workshops

TBA

All meetings in private homes may be cancelled or changed at the host's discretion. Please keep an eye on the Facebook page for the most up to date information.

Adresses

Archery School of the Rockies: 2110 Busch Ave, 80904

Nancy Lewis Park: Templeton Gap Rd, South of E Fillmore St, 80907 (Behind the Playground)

Sir Ton's Field: At the corner of McFerran Rd & Hungate Rd, Black Forest, 80908 (See Pinned Map on Baronial Website)

Baronial Progress

events on TRM progress * events on TE Dragonsspine progress

(TRM and TE attendance subject to change)

April 2023		
1	Unser Hafen	Kingdom A&S,
8	College of St. Golias	Feast of St. Golias #
22-23	Fontaine	Outlands Crown #
29	Aarquelle	Aarquelle Defender
May 2023		
6	Dragonsspine	Dragonsspine Investiture #*
6	Shire of Bryngolau	MayDay Memorial Tourneys
7	Unser Hafen	May Day in the Park
19-21	Aarquelle	Battlemoor Clean-up
24-29	al-Barran	Grand Outlandish #
26-29	Caerthe	Back to Bannockburn
June 2023		
2-4	Windkeep	Quest for F's
9-17	Calontir	Lilies War #
28-2	Outlands	Battlemoor #
July 2023		
14-16	Plattefordham	Here There Be Dragons
28-13	Aethelmearc	Pennsic War

Hey Young Dragons!

Have you ever made a “What did you do…?” report for school? Get a head start! Draw something from each event, camping trip, war, or other fun thing you do below! Or… make a nature collage. Find leaves, twigs, or other interesting things and combine them with glue or tape to make up something awesome!

COVID Update: Restrictions are currently lifted

Board Resolution – Amendment to COVIDSafe Policy effective 1 December 2022

On 29 August 2022 the Board of Directors amended the SCA Inc. COVIDSafe policy.

The SCA Board of Directors has aimed to balance getting Society participants back to doing the things we love with measures that support Kingdoms in minimizing risk during the COVID-19 pandemic. Our COVIDSafe Resolutions have provided a flexible, risk-based framework that allows Kingdoms in the United States and Canada to put in place a core set of requirements that event organizers and individuals must adhere to, based on their current risk levels as well as public health directions and advice.

As more information becomes available, the Board reviews and updates its resolutions where necessary, in line with its responsibility to act diligently, with due care, and in good faith. This is never more important than with issues related to the health and safety of our participants.

In line with this approach, and in light of recent changes to the national strategies in both the US and Canada to addressing the COVID-19 outbreak shifting from a focus on containment and prevention to treatment of symptoms to minimize the risk of serious illness and death, the Board has resolved the following:

After December 1, 2022, all prior requirements, including social distancing, masking, vaccinations, and testing under the COVIDsafe policy shall be lifted, including those previously left to the Kingdoms to determine, except that the following language is still required to appear on all event notices, flyers, online announcements, and advertisements, as well as being posted in multiple locations (including gate) at any and all SCA-sponsored functions going forward:

Although the SCA complies with all applicable laws to ensure the health and safety of our event participants, we cannot eliminate the risk of exposure to infectious diseases during in-person events. By participating in the in-person events of the SCA, you acknowledge and accept the potential risks. You agree to take any additional steps to protect your own health and safety and those under your control as you believe to be necessary.

Participants who have tested positive at any time in the ten days preceding their intended entrance to an SCA event should not attend any SCA event.

The Board recommends that anyone experiencing symptoms consistent with COVID or who has been exposed to COVID within the five days preceding an event, should self-test the morning of their intended arrival at an event.

Anyone experiencing symptoms consistent with COVID at an SCA event should leave the event immediately.

The Society Seneschal, in consultation with the Society President, may enact any or all previously approved COVIDsafe policies as needed in any Kingdom in the US or Canada, and present such changes or variances for Board approval at the next scheduled Board meeting.

Questions or comments should be sent directly
to president@sca.org and seneschal@sca.org, or your Kingdom's Board Ombudsman.

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- Ranger:
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- Arts & Science:
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Who Are We?

The Barony of Dragonsspine is a local chapter of the Society for Creative Anachronism, Inc. (SCA), within the Kingdom of the Outlands.

The SCA is a non-profit, educational organization dedicated to learning more about the Middle Ages through reenactment. There are SCA chapters worldwide and they hold regular feasts, tournaments, balls and battles.

The Outlands includes New Mexico, Colorado and parts of Texas and Wyoming.

Dragonsspine includes El Paso County, Colorado—centered on Colorado Springs, CO.

Wherever you are, we're a friendly group of people, so why not visit us all?

We're on the Web at:

www.dragonsspine.outlands.org

We're also on Facebook as

Barony of Dragonsspine

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